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Applicant(s): John O. Bieser, et al.

Application No.: 09/032,893

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For: HOMOGENEOUSLY BRANCHED ETHYLENE POLYMER CARPET,
CARPET BACKING AND METHOD FOR MAKING SAME

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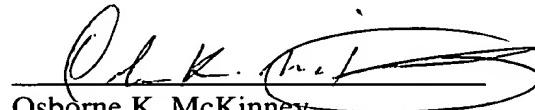
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EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant(s) hereby request(s) that the shortened statutory period for response now set to expire February 28, 2001 in this application be extended for a period of three month(s), the extended period then expiring on May 30, 2001. This is a first request for an extension of time.

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